BOARD OF FINANCE PUBLIC HEARING

3 Primrose Street, Newtown - Newtown Municipal Center Thursday, February 15, 2024 at 7:30 p.m.

These minutes are subject to approval by the Board of Finance

PRESENT: James Gaston, Steve Goodridge John Fletcher, Bryce Chinault, Janette Lamoureaux, Barney Molloy

ALSO PRESENT: Seven members of the public,

Chair James Gaston called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. Attendees saluted the American Flag.

Public Comment on the 2024-2025 Board of Selectmen Budget and the Newtown Board of Education Budget:

Mr. Gaston said there is no requirement to have public comment at regular meetings and therefore there is a statutory requirement for the Board of Finance to hold a Public Hearing on the budget.

Jim O'Brien, 1013 Brookside Court, is a fairly new resident; he and his wife like Newtown very much. He has some questions. Chairman Gaston explained the public hearing allows for public comment, but is not a question and answer and stated the entire board can be reached via the Board of Finance page on the website.

Adjournment

Having no further business J. Fletcher moved to adjourn the Board of Finance Public Hearing at 7:30 p.m. S. Goodridge seconded. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted, Susan Marcinek, Clerk pro tem

